GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA

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MANDATORY FUEL EFFICIENCY STANDARDS
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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has decided to set up mandatory fuel efficiency standards for all class and types of vehicles including cars, scooters, bikes, trucks, buses and three wheelers;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has proposed to take any penal action against the manufacturers who fail to meet the norms fixed by the Government;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not; the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY, MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES(SMT. KANTI SINGH)

(a) & (b): No, Sir. However, Ministry of Shipping, Road Transport and Highways have constituted a Committee to analyze the type approval and conformity of production (CoP) data on Carbon Dioxide and fuel consumption for diesel, gasoline vehicles.

(c): No, Sir.

(d) & (e): Does not arise.